

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Dale F. McIntyre, et al

A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING IMAGES OVER A COMMUNICATION NETWORK

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Sir:

Preliminary Amendment

Please amend the above-referenced application, without prejudice,

as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.